

Table 1. County Summary Highlights: 2007

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

Item	Rhode Island	Bristol	Kent	Newport	Providence	Washington
Farms number	1,219	51	143	187	469	369
Land in farms acres	67,819	1,665	9,673	10,147	21,683	24,651
Average size of farm acres	56	33	68	54	46	67
Median size of farm acres	24	14	28	20	24	25
Estimated market value of land and buildings:						
Average per farm dollars	936,229	833,282	904,942	1,233,570	807,987	974,894
Average per acre dollars	16,828	25,524	13,378	22,734	17,477	14,593
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment:						
Average per farm dollars	65,343	42,030	55,522	70,050	56,116	81,846
Farms by size:						
1 to 9 acres	353	18	38	63	135	99
10 to 49 acres	484	21	60	61	193	149
50 to 179 acres	308	12	35	51	123	87
180 to 499 acres	67	-	9	12	17	29
500 to 999 acres	5	-	-	-	1	4
1,000 acres or more	2	-	1	-	-	1
Total cropland farms	926	36	125	157	322	286
..... acres	24,457	1,072	2,496	5,694	5,823	9,372
Harvested cropland farms	823	33	102	144	290	254
..... acres	19,325	806	1,793	4,551	4,635	7,540
Irrigated land farms	313	14	28	54	120	97
..... acres	4,306	119	174	581	807	2,625
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text) \$1,000	65,908	2,831	3,764	18,299	15,072	25,941
Average per farm dollars	54,067	55,510	26,320	97,857	32,137	70,301
Crops, including nursery and greenhouse crops \$1,000	55,602	2,507	3,452	16,144	11,534	21,964
Livestock, poultry, and their products \$1,000	10,306	324	312	2,156	3,538	3,977
Farms by value of sales:						
Less than \$2,500	487	22	59	43	212	151
\$2,500 to \$4,999	140	4	23	19	56	38
\$5,000 to \$9,999	147	4	19	29	51	44
\$10,000 to \$24,999	179	8	24	26	72	49
\$25,000 to \$49,999	93	3	4	25	30	31
\$50,000 to \$99,999	56	4	3	13	20	16
\$100,000 or more	117	6	11	32	28	40
Government payments farms	101	3	9	20	39	30
..... \$1,000	743	1	37	279	162	264
Total income from farm-related sources, gross before taxes and expenses (see text) farms	261	12	23	55	90	81
..... \$1,000	5,333	297	639	998	2,051	1,349
Total farm production expenses \$1,000	65,062	2,730	5,403	15,579	17,176	24,174
Average per farm dollars	53,373	53,521	37,784	83,311	36,623	65,513
Net cash farm income of operation (see text) farms	1,219	51	143	187	469	369
..... \$1,000	6,921	400	-964	3,997	109	3,380
Average per farm dollars	5,678	7,835	-6,739	21,372	232	9,160
Principal operator by primary occupation:						
Farming number	621	24	87	110	219	181
Other number	598	27	56	77	250	188
Principal operator by days worked off farm:						
Any number	823	42	83	124	330	244
200 days or more number	500	37	53	74	193	143
Livestock and poultry:						
Cattle and calves inventory farms	276	13	33	47	92	91
..... number	5,085	91	335	1,834	987	1,838
Beef cows farms	227	9	26	39	75	78
..... number	1,800	69	(D)	528	(D)	504
Milk cows farms	39	-	8	11	7	13
..... number	1,325	-	(D)	544	(D)	560
Cattle and calves sold farms	148	3	13	28	48	56
..... number	1,629	(D)	(D)	419	402	718
Hogs and pigs inventory farms	103	-	14	8	45	36
..... number	2,316	-	492	(D)	(D)	239
Hogs and pigs sold farms	81	2	14	4	32	29
..... number	4,526	(D)	1,441	(D)	(D)	479
Sheep and lambs inventory farms	107	4	8	10	40	45
..... number	1,459	75	96	156	607	525
Layers inventory (see text) farms	154	4	3	21	71	55
..... number	45,825	328	66	1,580	42,504	1,347
Broilers and other meat-type chickens sold farms	12	1	-	1	6	4
..... number	(D)	(D)	-	(D)	(D)	187
Selected crops harvested:						
Corn for grain farms	4	-	-	2	-	2
..... acres	41	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
..... bushels	3,207	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Corn for silage or greenchop farms	39	3	4	9	7	16
..... acres	1,653	14	61	668	200	710
..... tons	32,886	338	1,236	15,114	3,130	13,068
Oats for grain farms	2	-	-	1	-	1
..... acres	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
..... bushels	(D)	-	-	(D)	-	(D)
Forage - land used for all hay and all haylage, grass silage, and greenchop (see text) farms	351	16	43	55	125	112
..... acres	9,304	441	1,169	1,819	2,698	3,177
..... tons, dry	19,042	636	2,504	4,207	4,553	7,141
Vegetables harvested for sale (see text) farms	203	8	15	41	78	61
..... acres	2,418	186	73	993	735	432
Potatoes farms	30	-	2	9	11	8
..... acres	542	-	(D)	527	(D)	12
Sweet potatoes farms	5	-	-	-	4	1
..... acres	1	-	-	-	(D)	(D)
Land in orchards farms	100	3	11	12	49	25
..... acres	580	(D)	45	138	368	(D)